



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **WATANABE, Mitsuo, et al.**

Group Art Unit: **2876**

Serial No.: **10/707,695**

Examiner: **Uyen Chau N. LE**

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For. **BAR-CODE READER AND METHOD OF READING BAR-CODE**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: March 8, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated November 17, 2004 for one month, from February 17, 2005 to March 17, 2005.

Attached please find a check in the amount of \$910.00 to cover the cost of the extension (\$120.00) and to cover the cost of the RCE (\$790.00) for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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